Eunice, Louisiana

Financial Report

Years Ended August 31, 2009 and 2008

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Independent Auditor's Report

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We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Eunice Student Housing Foundation, Inc. (a nonprofit organization), as of and for the years ended August 31, 2009 and 2008, as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Foundation's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Eunice Student Housing Foundation, Inc. as of August 31, 2009 and 2008, and changes in financial position and cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued a report dated February 12, 2009 on our consideration of Eunice Student Housing Foundation, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters.

Our audits were performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements of Eunice Student Housing Foundation, Inc. taken as a whole. The supplemental information listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and in our opinion is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Management's discussion and analysis, supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The Foundation has not presented this information as part of this financial report.

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Eunice, Louisiana February 12, 2009 BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Statements of Net Assets August 31, 2009 and 2008

ASSETS

	2009	2008
ASSETS Cash Rents and fees receivable, net Interest receivable Cash - restricted Investments - restricted for debt service, at fair market value Prepaid expenses	\$ 34,288 71,946 - 146,104 508,650 3,056	\$ 37,709 65,105 5,383 99,058 566,347 3,052
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, at cost Less: accumulated depreciation	764,044 5,294,666 (1,227,692) 4,066,974	5,294,666 (1,062,605) 4,232,061
OTHER ASSETS Loan costs, net of amortization TOTAL ASSETS	202,065 \$ 5,033,083	210,851 \$ 5,219,566
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Cash overdraft Accounts payable Accrued interest payable Management fees payable Deferred rent revenue Current maturities of revenue bonds Security deposits	\$ 18,135 91,777 252,041 159,424 97,425 90,000 37,816 746,618	\$ 17,529 94,072 254,623 134,832 102,407 70,000 38,631 712,094
Revenue bonds payable Unamortized discount	6,745,000 (288,696) 6,456,304	6,835,000 (292,293) 6,542,707
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u> 7,202,922</u>	<u>7,254,801</u>
NET ASSETS Invested in capital assets, net of debt Restricted Unrestricted Total net assets (deficit)	(2,479,330) 595,241 (285,750) (2,169,839)	(2,380,646) 616,146 (270,735) (2,035,235)
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	<u>\$ 5,033,083</u>	<u>\$ 5,219,566</u>

Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Assets Years Ended August 31, 2009 and 2008

		2009		2008	
SUPPORT AND REVENUES					
Apartment rent	\$	897,296	\$	823,931	
Fee income		35,212		35,988	
Interest income		766		22,882	
Miscellaneous		6,988		10,166	
Total support and revenue		940,262		892,967	
OPERATING, GENERAL, AND AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	_	<u>1,074,866</u>	_	1,157,992	
DECREASE IN NET ASSETS		(134,604)		(265,025)	
NET ASSETS (DEFICIT), beginning		(2,035,235)	(1,770,210)	
NET ASSETS (DEFICIT), ending	<u>\$</u>	(2.169.839)	<u>\$(</u>	2.035.235)	

Statements of Cash Flows Years Ended August 31, 2009 and 2008

	2009	2008
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Decrease in net assets	\$ (134,604)	\$ (265,025)
Adjustments to reconcile decrease in net assets		
to net cash used by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	177,470	179,711
Increase (decrease) in:		
Rent and fees receivable	(6,841)	(14,752)
Interest receivable	5,383	2,455
Prepaid expenses	(4)	2,603
(Increase) decrease in:		
Accounts payable	(2,295)	(40,663)
Interest payable	(2,582)	(1,843)
Management fees payable	24,592	24,591
Deferred rent revenue	(4,982)	17,691
Security deposits payable	(815)	2,416
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	55,322	(92,816)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Sale of interest bearing deposits	<u>57,697</u>	<u>90,984</u>
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities	<u>57,697</u>	90,984
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds of cash overdraft	606	17,529
Repayment on long term debt	(70,000)	(50,000)
Net cash provided (used) by financing activities	(69,394)	(32,471)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	43,625	(34,303)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, beginning of year	136,767	<u> 171,070</u>
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, end of year	\$ 180.392	\$ 136.767
Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents per statements of cash flows to the balance sheets:		
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year		0 27.700
Cash - unrestricted	\$ 34,288	\$ 37,709
Cash - restricted	146,104	99,058
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$ 180.392	<u>\$ 136.767</u>
SUPPLEMENTAL DATA		
Interest paid	\$ 509.244	<u>\$ 512.931</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization and Nature of Operations

The Eunice Student Housing Foundation, Inc. (The Foundation) is a not-for-profit organization as outlined in the Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3). The Foundation provides student housing on the campus of Louisiana State University at Eunice, Louisiana, known as Bengal Village. The Bengal Village apartment complex consists of 58 units and is managed by Campus Living Villages (Campus). The management agreement commenced August 1, 2002 for a term of 15 years through July 31, 2017. Thereafter, the agreement shall be automatically renewed annually unless terminated. All personnel employed in the leasing, management, maintenance and operation of Bengal Village are employees of Campus.

Reporting Entity

GASB Statement No. 14, The Reporting Entity, established criteria for determining the governmental reporting entity and component units that should be included within the reporting entity. Under provisions of this statement, the Foundation is considered a component unit of the Louisiana State University System. As a component unit, the audited financial statements of the Eunice Student Housing Foundation will be included in the basic financial statements of the Louisiana State University System, a component unit of the State of Louisiana, and in the basic financial statements of the Louisiana State University at Eunice for the year ended June 30, 2008. The accompanying financial statements present information only on the funds maintained by the Eunice Student Housing Foundation.

Basis of Accounting

The Foundation utilizes the proprietary fund method of accounting whereby revenues and expenses are recognized on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying financial statements of the Foundation have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Boards (GASB) is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated over the estimated useful lives of the respective assets using the straight-line method.

Maintenance, Capitalization, and Disposal Policies

Repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred. Expenditures incurred in the construction or that increase the value or productive capacity of assets are capitalized. When property and equipment are retired, sold, or otherwise disposed of, the asset's carrying amount and related accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts and any gain or loss is included in operations.

Statement of Cash Flows

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, cash equivalents include time deposits, certificates of deposit, and all highly liquid interest-bearing deposits with a maturity of three months or less when purchased.

Use of Estimates

Preparation of The Foundation's financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTE 2 TAX STATUS

The Foundation is accorded tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c) (3). It is also exempt from Louisiana income tax. Accordingly, no provision is required for income taxes.

The Foundation is not a private foundation as determined under Section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 3 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	2009	2008
Cash overdraft: J. P. Morgan Chase - operating	<u>\$ (18.135)</u>	\$ (17.529)
Unrestricted: Petty cash St. Landry Bank - rental deposits Bank of New York Trust Co. of Florida:	\$ 300 12,519	\$ 300 9,298
Operating expense Security deposits Total unrestricted cash	$ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \underline{} \\ \underline{} \\ 34,288 \end{bmatrix} $	28,108 37,709
Restricted: St. Landry Bank - security deposits Bank of New York Trust Co. of Florida:	59,512	49,259
Capital reserve Principal Account	[1] <u>86,592</u>	4,030 <u>45,769</u>
Total restricted cash and cash equivalents	146,104	99,058
Total cash and cash equivalents	<u>\$ 180,392</u>	<u>\$ 136.767</u>
[1] Cash accounts held by the bond trustee.		
	Bank Balance 2009	Bank Balance 2008
Unrestricted: J. P. Morgan Chase - operating St. Landry Bank - rental deposits Bank of New York Trust Co. of Florida:	\$ 38,052 1,000	\$ 47,272 8,984
Operating expense Security deposits Total unrestricted cash	3 21,466 60,521	3 28,108 84,367
Restricted: St. Landry Bank - security deposits Bank of New York Trust Co. of Florida:	46,542	46,919
Capital reserve Principal Account Total restricted cash	86,592 133,134	4,030 45,769 96,718
Total cash and cash equivalents	<u>\$ 193.655</u>	<u>\$ 181.085</u>

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 4 RESTRICTED INVESTMENTS

	2009	2008	
Investments: Bank of New York Trust Co. of Florida: Debt Service Trust Fund-US Treasury Notes Debt Service Trust Fund-Fidelity US Treasury	[1] \$ 413,122 [1] 95,528 \$ 508,650	\$ 453,606 112,741 \$ 566,347	
	Bank Balance 2009	Bank Balance	
Investments: Bank of New York Trust Co. of Florida: Debt Service Trust Fund-US Treasury Notes Debt Service Trust Fund-Fidelity US Treasury	\$ 413,122 95,528	\$ 457,602 112,741	
[1] Cook accounts hold by the hand tweeter	\$ 508,650	<u>\$ 570,343</u>	

^[1] Cash accounts held by the bond trustee.

NOTE 5 LOAN COSTS

Loan costs are being amortized over 30 years. Amortization expense totaled \$8,785 for the years ended August 31, 2009 and 2008.

NOTE 6 DEBT SERVICE RESERVE FUND

The Debt Service Reserve Fund has been used to meet debt requirements as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending August 31,	
2005	\$ 123,835
2006	165,335
2007	168,680
2008	129,698
2009	166,112

The Debt Service Reserve Fund is below the required level of \$610,450 at August 31, 2009.

NOTE 7 NET DEFICIT

Management is addressing the deficit and had increased rental rates by 3% during the 2008-09 fiscal year. Management is continuing its efforts to decrease the deficit and has increased rental rates by 2% (\$439 to \$448) and 3% (\$539 to \$555) for 4 bedroom and 2 bedroom units, respectively, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010 for all residents.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 8 PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

	Category	Cost	Estimated Useful Lives
	Building Streets, sidewalks and pool Fences, gates & signs Interior fixtures Furniture & lighting Office equipment Equipment Total depreciable assets	\$ 4,361,642 352,064 109,255 47,931 321,890 24,178 77,706 5,294,666 (1,227,692)	40 years 40 years 15 years 5 years 10 years 5 years 10 years
	Less: Accumulated depreciation Net depreciable assets	\$ 4,066,974	
NOTE 9	LONG TERM DEBT		
		2009	2008
	Louisiana Local Government Environmental Facilities and Community Development Authority Revenue Bonds Services 2002, issued January 1, 2002, at a coupon rate of 7.375%, principal payments beginning September, 2005 with final payment due September, 2033. Proceeds of bond utilized for construction, improvement and equipping student housing at LSUE.	\$ 6,835,000	\$ 6,905,000
	Less current maturities	90,000	70,000
		<u>\$ 6,745,000</u>	<u>\$ 6,835,000</u>

The annual requirements to amortize debt outstanding at August 31, 2009, including interest payments are as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending August 31,	Principal	Interest		
2010	\$ 90,000	\$ 500,763		
2011	110,000	493,388		
2012	120,000	484,906		
2013	125,000	475,872		
2014	135,000	466,284		
Thereafter	<u>6,255,000</u>	<u>5,669,346</u>		
Total principal payments	<u>\$6,835,000</u>	<u>\$ 8.090.559</u>		

INTERNAL CONTROL AND COMPLIANCE



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Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

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We have audited the financial statements of Eunice Student Housing Foundation, Inc. (a nonprofit organization), as of and for the year ended August 31, 2009, and have issued our report thereon dated February 12, 2009. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Eunice Student Housing Foundation, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control structure over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses.

A material weakness is a reportable condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements caused by error or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Eunice Student Housing Foundation, Inc.'s financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material

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effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, others within the organization, and the Legislative Auditor of the State of Louisiana and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than those specific parties. This restriction is not intended to limit the distribution of this report, which is a matter of public record.

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A Corporation of Certified Public Accountants

Eunice, Louisiana February 12, 2009

Summary of Prior Year Findings Year Ended August 31, 2009

There are no prior year findings.

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs Year Ended August 31, 2009

Part I Summary of Auditor's Results

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Auditor's Report - Financial Statements

An unqualified opinion has been issued on Eunice Student Housing Foundation, Inc.'s financial statements as of and for the year ended August 31, 2009.

Reportable Conditions - Financial Reporting

There were no reportable conditions in internal control over financial reporting disclosed during the audit of the financial statements.

Material Noncompliance or Other Matters-Financial Reporting

There were no instances of noncompliance or other matters material to the financial statements disclosed during the audit of the financial statements.

FEDERAL AWARDS

This section is not applicable for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2009.

Part II Findings Relating to an Audit in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

09-1 Violation of Bond Covenants

Findings:

The Debt Service Reserve Fund is below the required level at August 31, 2009.

The Debt Service Coverage Ratio does not meet the requirements of the loan agreement.

Recommendation:

The Debt Service Reserve Fund balances and the Debt Service Coverage Ratio should meet the loan agreement requirements.

Response:

Management is addressing the problem by increasing rental rates and investigating refinancing the bond.

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs (Continued) Year Ended August 31, 2009

Part III Findings and Questioned Costs Relating to Federal Programs

This section is not applicable for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2009.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Schedules of Operating, General and Administrative Expenses Years Ended August 31, 2009 and 2008

		2009		2008
Advertising	\$	10,814	\$	12,441
Amortization expense		8,785		8,785
Bad debt expense		6,634		96,028
Contract services		28,750		27,154
Depreciation expense		165,087		167,587
Employee benefit		807		640
Insurance		23,975		27,116
Interest expense		507,678		512,582
Management fee		56,419		67,503
Meals and entertainment		1,536		1,400
Miscellaneous		6,280		6,504
Office expense		5,091		5,698
Payroll taxes		5,997		3,708
Postage		2,753		2,468
Professional fees		5,075		7,670
Repair and maintenance		23,551		16,598
Salaries		88,851		105,551
Supplies		4,182		3,876
Telephone		7,981		6,020
Training		384		1,995
Travel		6,035		5,836
Trustee fee		3,257		4,084
Uniforms		241		166
Utilities	_	104,703	_	66,582
	<u>\$ 1</u>	.074.866	<u>\$ 1</u>	.157.992